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There's all of pleasure and all
of peace

In a friend or two;

And all your troubles may find
release

With a friend or two;

It's in the grip of the clasping
hand

On native soil or in alien land,

But the world is made —

do you understand? —

Of a friend or two.





A song to sing and a crust
to share
With a friend or two;
A smile to give and a grief
to bear
With a friend or two;
A road to walk and a goal
to win,
An inglenook to find comfort
in,
The gladdest hours that we
know, begin
With a friend or two.





A little laughter; perhaps some
tears

With a friend or two;
The days, the weeks, and the
months and years

With a friend or two;
A vale to cross and a hill
to climb,

A mock at age and a jeer
at time —

The prose of life takes the lilt
of rhyme

With a friend or two.

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The brother=soul and the
brother=heart
Of a friend or two
Make us drift on from the
crowd apart
With a friend or two;
For come days happy or come
days sad
We count no hours but the
ones made glad
By the hale good times we
have ever had
With a friend or two.



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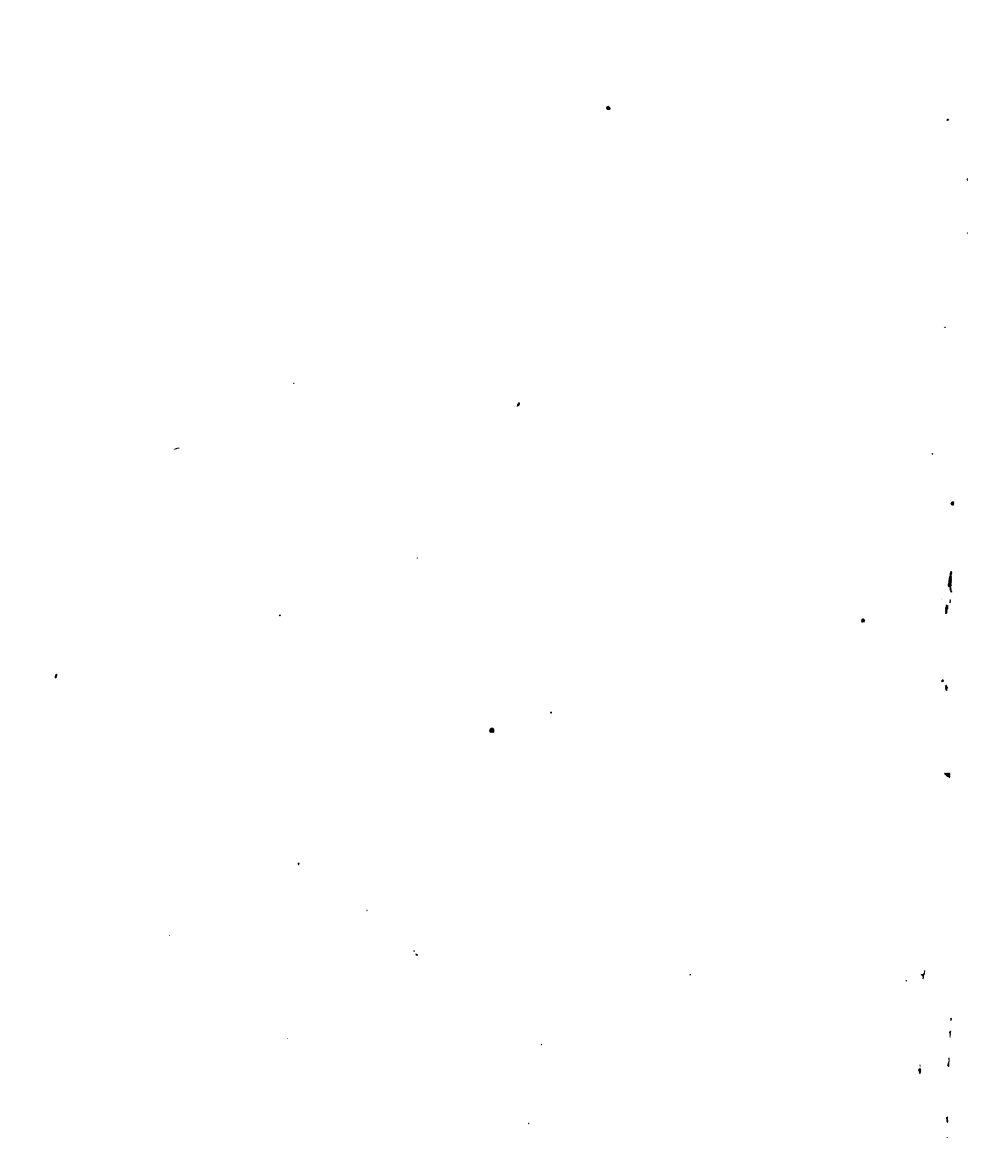
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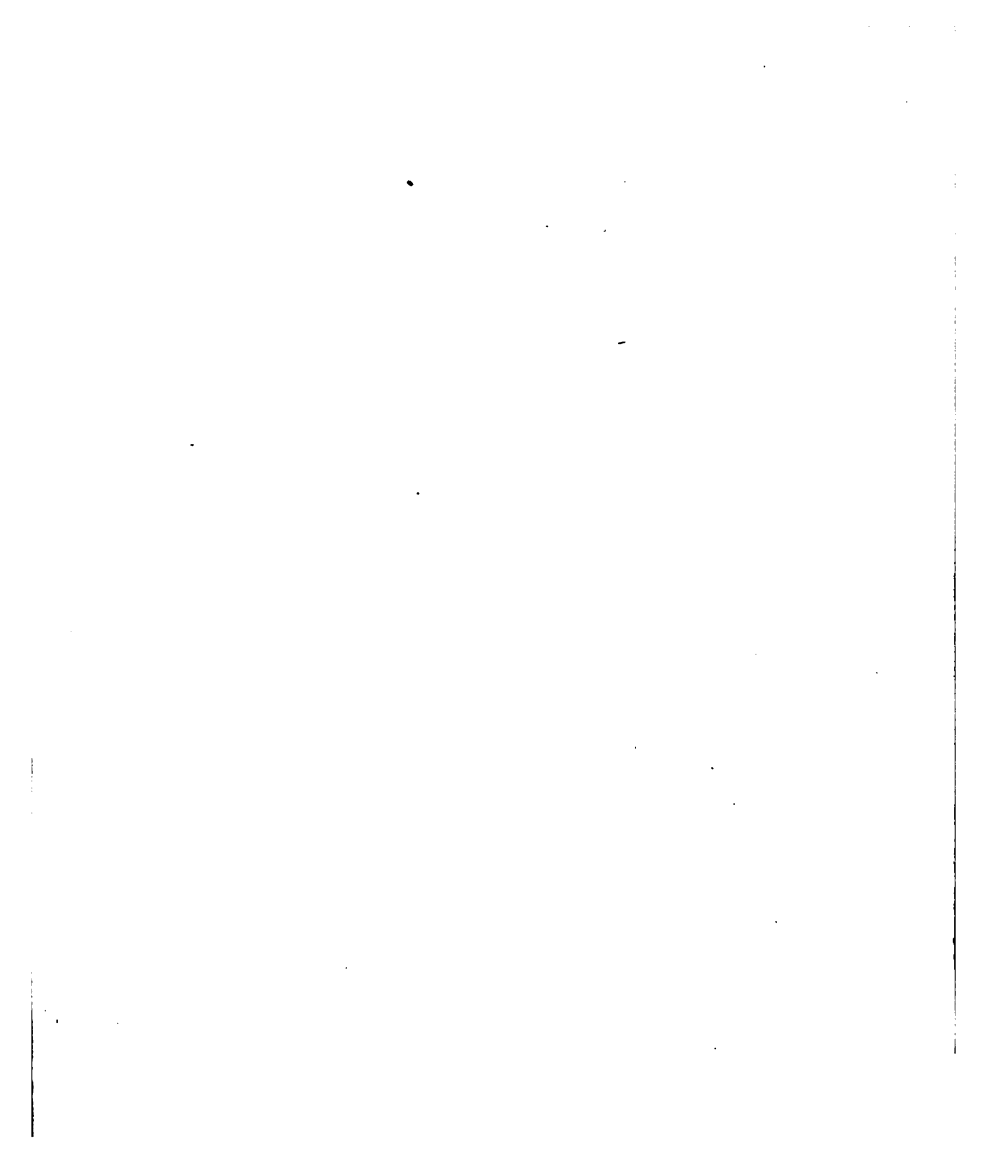
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Then brim the goblet and
quaff the toast
To a friend or two,
For glad the man who can
always boast
Of a friend or two;
The fairest sight is a friendly
face,
The blithest tread is a friendly
pace,
And heaven will be a better
place
For a friend or two.









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